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For : DEVICE PROVIDING  
ELECTRICAL CONTACT TO  
THE SURFACE OF A  
SEMICONDUCTOR  
WORKPIECE DURING  
PROCESSING  
Examiner : Lois L. Zheng  
Group Art Unit : 1742

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED MARCH 27, 2007

**Mail Stop Amendment**  
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Dear Madam:

In response to the Office Action dated March 27, 2007, Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner reconsider the above-identified patent application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 8 of this paper.